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FEDERAL GAME-LAW VIOLATORS FINED

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Apprehended after a chase by Federal and State officers, Harry Wilson, of Phoenix, Ariz., was recently fined \$50 and sentenced to 60 days in jail in Federal Court at Tucson after pleading guilty to possessing 207 white-winged doves, the U. S. Biological Survey reports. Four others apprehended with Wilson also pleaded guilty and were fined, E. C. ("Dinty") Moore and H. B. Moody \$100 each and L. G. Pool and R. H. Elder \$50 each.

The violators also pleaded guilty to possessing 43 mourning doves. Imposition of sentence on this count was suspended by the Court for five years, with a warning regarding future violations of State or Federal laws.

Duck Hunters Use Live Decoys; Fined

C. E. Ellsworth Longland and Dr. John Newell, of Wilmington, Del., were recently found guilty by a jury in Federal Court at Wilmington of hunting wild ducks by aid of live decoys, the Biological Survey reports. Longland was fined \$100 and Doctor Newell \$25.

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